

# Blizzards.

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# How does a blizzard form?

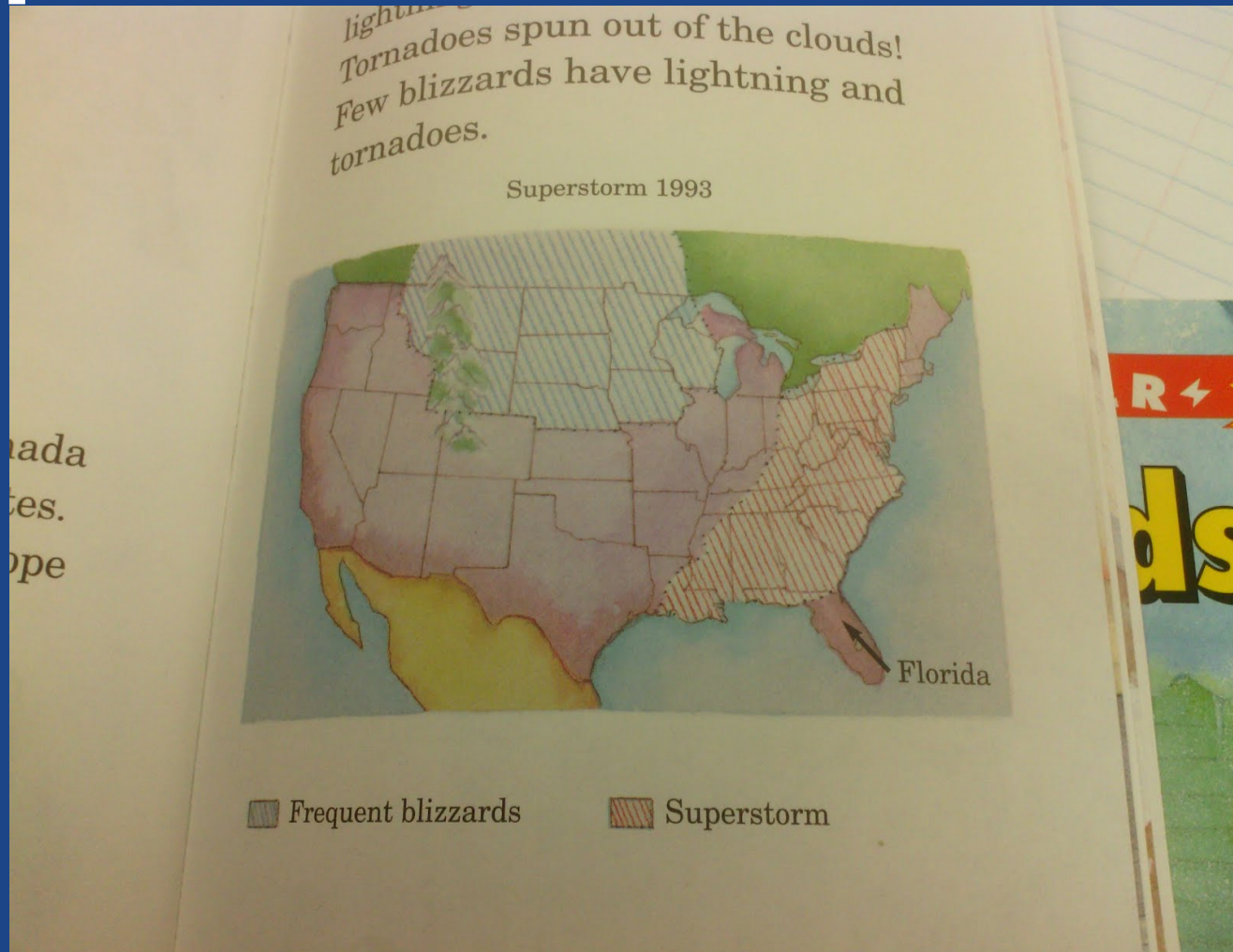
- Winter storms get their energy from the different temperatures of two different air masses
- Cold air from warm moist air from the Gulf of Mexico collide.
- If warm air advances, it makes a warm front, but if none advance, it creates a blizzard.

# Cool Facts

- In the blizzard of 1999 OVER 270 people DIED.
  - Blizzard winds could make it harder to walk and see.
  - Blizzards can shut down entire cities for days.
- Even small snowstorms can create blizzards.



# Map



This is where blizzards are usually found

# Time To Describe

Blizzards are a powerful snowstorm with strong, cold **winds** up to 35 mph or greater. Snow is also blown around during the storm. (So its harder to see.)

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